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Dear Sir:

In Response to the Restriction Requirement dated June 30, 2004, Applicants elect without traverse to have the invention of Group II, Claims 22-32, examined. Please withdraw from consideration Claims 1-21, which are drawn to the invention of Group I. Applicants reserve the right to seek examination of the invention of Group I in a divisional application.

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